

Thai - Oshie Handicraft

★ Her Royal Highness Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn graciously asked Mr. Taruo Yomura, a Japanese artisan, to teach Thai - Oshie Handicraft to disabled veterans. At present, disabled veterans who have been treated at Veterans General Hospital (VGH) gain more expert skills and are capable of making beautiful and unique handicrafts, resulting Thai - Oshie Handicrafts are well - known and accepted to the general public.



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THAI WOMAN IN TRADITIONAL THAI COSTUME HOLDING A LOTUS FLOWER



★ Thai – Oshie Handicraft made by Private First Class Boonpluk Thuekuntod, 51 years old, a former service veteran who holds the 3rd class veterans card No. 002004107/43. In 1976, he was enlisted in the 23rd Infantry Regiment, Surathampitak Military Camp, Mueang Nakhon Ratchasima, Nakhon Ratchasima province. He got injured over his left knee by an exploding shell from his duty in Surin province and lost his left leg ever since.

★ Traditional Thai costume is a national costume of Thailand which has long traces and unique identity along with Thai history and has been designed to be suitable with all ages. Men usually wear Raja Pattern or royal shirt with a long loincloth and shoes, while women wear a breast cloth or northern shirt with sarong or loincloth.

